

8.1.1 Total Use of Water by Buildings (Billion Gallons per Day) (1)

<u>Year</u>	<u>All Buildings</u>	<u>% of Total Water Use</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>% of Total Water Use</u>	<u>Commercial</u>	<u>% of Total Water Use</u>
1985	31.26	7.8%	24.32	6.1%	6.94	1.7%
1990	33.58	8.2%	25.29	6.2%	8.29	2.0%
1995	35.67	8.9%	26.09	6.5%	9.58	2.4%
2000 (2)	38.34	9.4%	28.03	6.9%	10.31	2.5%

Note(s): 1) Includes water from the public supply and self-supplied sources (e.g. wells). 2) In some cases USGS did not split water use by sector and source in the 2000 estimates. 2000 figures were estimated using 1995 percentage splits of water use by sector applied to the revised 2000 estimates of total use.

Source(s): U.S. Geological Survey. Estimated Use of Water in the United States in 1985. 1988. Tables 3, 5. p. 25, 29. Solley, W.B., et. al. U.S. Geological Survey Circular 1004; U.S. Geological Survey. Estimated Use of Water in the United States in 1990. 1993. Tables 11, 13. Solley, W.B., et. al. U.S. Geological Survey Circular 1081; U.S. Geological Survey. Estimated Use of Water in the United States in 1995. 1998. Tables 11, 13. p. 25, 29. Solley, W.B., et. al. U.S. Geological Survey Circular 1200; U.S. Geological Survey. Estimated Use of Water in the United States in 2000. 2004. Table 6. p. 17. Hutson, S.S., et.al. U.S. Geological Survey Circular 1268.